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NOZZLE FOR ULTRASOUND WOUND TREATMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to an Office Action of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office mailed on January 29, 2003 requiring restriction to one of two inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121, please consider the following remarks:

REMARKS

This application has been reviewed in light of the Office Action mailed on January 29, 2003. In the Office Action, the Examiner requires Applicant to elect one of the following two distinct inventions:

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

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Dated: February 26, 2003

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